UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS SHERMAN DIVISION

THE STATE OF TEXAS, ET AL.	§	
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v.	§	CIVIL NO. 4:20-CV-957-SDJ
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GOOGLE LLC	§	

ORDER EXTENDING CERTAIN DEADLINES

Before the Court is the parties' Joint Motion Pursuant to Rule 16(b) to Modify [the] Scheduling Order to Provide Brief Extensions of Expert Discovery Period and Summary Judgment/Daubert Deadlines. (Dkt. #607). Because many of Google's expert witnesses are set to testify in another antitrust case in the Eastern District of Virginia¹ between September 9, 2024, to October 18, 2024, it requests that expert deadlines be adjusted to accommodate their availability. Plaintiff States request that the deadline for disclosure of rebuttal expert testimony be extended from August 27, 2024, and September 3, 2024, respectively, to a unified date of September 9, 2024.

After full consideration, the court determines that there is good cause to modify the scheduling order under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure Rule 16(b). *Geiserman v. MacDonald*, 893 F.2d 787, 790 (5th Cir. 1990). Therefore, the motion is **GRANTED**. Accordingly, the following actions shall be completed by the dates indicated:

DEADLINES

Deadline	Event
09/09/2024	Disclosure of rebuttal expert testimony.
11/01/2024	Close of expert discovery.

¹ United States, et al. v. Google LLC, 1:23-CV-108.

11/18/2024	Deadline for motions for summary judgment.
11/18/2024	Deadline to object to all expert testimony (i.e., deadline for <i>Daubert</i> motions). Objection shall be made as a motion to strike or limit expert testimony and shall be accompanied by a copy of the expert's report in order to provide the Court with all the information necessary to make a ruling on any objection.
12/09/2024	Deadline for responses to <i>Daubert</i> motions and responses to motions for summary judgment.
12/23/2024	Deadline for replies to <i>Daubert</i> motions and replies to motions for summary judgment.

All other deadlines in the Court's Scheduling Order, (Dkt. #194), shall remain the same.

So ORDERED and SIGNED this 29th day of August, 2024.

SEAN D. JORDAN / UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE